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Application No.: **NEW APPLICATION**  
Filed: December 16, 2004  
For: A TEST KIT FOR DETECTING PERIODONTAL  
DISEASE

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

The following preliminary amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application. Prior to examination of the present application, please consider the following:

**Amendments to the Abstract** begin on page 2 of this Preliminary Amendment.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 3 of this Preliminary Amendment.

	<b>Claims remaining after Amendment</b>		<b>Highest number previously paid for</b>		<b>Present extra</b>
<b>Total</b>	41	-	41	=	0
<b>Independent</b>	2	-	3	=	0